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...e prepared to do every description of

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...included.

...—East Middle st., one door from the Metho-...rch, Gettysburg, Pa. [Feb. 5.—tf

...N W. TIPTON, FASHION-...LE BARBER, opposite the Eagle Hotel, ...rg Pa., where he can at all times be found ...ttend to all business in his line. He has ...excellent assistant and will insure satis-...tive him a call. ...1867.

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PETER BEITLER ...ared to furnish GRANITE, for all kinds of ...DING AND MONUMENTAL PURPOSES, ...at reasonable rates— ...ing, Sills, Steps, Ashlers, ...ts, Monuments, Ceme-...ery Blocks, &c., &c., ...ished in every style desired, by best of ...ers from a distance promptly attended to. —tf

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...GAS PIPE ...as well as Chandeliers, Brackets, Drop ...also, WATER PIPE, Stop Cocks, Tap and Frost ...n short, everything belonging to gas or ...es. ...g, and furnished if desired. Locks of al ...ed. [Dec. 25, 1867.—t

...ARSH CREEK ...ANING MILL. ...undersigned has established a ...ING MILL, on Marsh creek, four miles from ...t which he will manufacture ...AND DOOR FRAMES, ...OW SASH AND FRAMES, ...RING, WEATHERBOARDING, ...ash Boards, with everything else made at ...ory, and needed in the building line. The ...ber will always be used, all thoroughly ...having been put up for the purpose. ...ected, and promptly attended to. Prices ...e lowest, and every effort made to accom-...omers. JOHN D. PFOUTZ. ...68.—1y

...RNITURE. ...C. SHEAFFER ...RSBURG, (Y. S.,) PENNA., ...to offer to the Public, anything in his ...to be had in the county. ...sers will do well to call and examine ...buying elsewhere. ...RNITURE ...r, Repairing done neat cheap and with ...Jan 22 1868.—tf

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...E MACHINES! ...EST IMPROVED & GENUINE ...LIAS HOWE, JR., ...ING MACHINES. ...COB F. THOMAS, ...Town County, Pa., Granite Hill, P. O., (Gulden's Station.) ...will be promptly attended to. Machines ...d to all parts of the county and instruc-...ants. ...blic are cautioned against parties who ...of HOWE in connection with their ma-...unt of the popularity of the Howe Ma-...are now GENUINE unless they have ...ach machine a medallion having the ...IAS HOWE, Jr., on it, &c.

...EAT WANTED. ...ghed will pay the highest market price ...—tf

...OD WHEAT, ...his Mill, "Glenwood Mills," formerly ...in Highland township. GEORGE GINGELL. ...—tf

...ing--Conveyancing. ...WITHEROW, ...RFIELD, PA., ...his services to the public as a ...TICAL SURVEYOR, ...to survey Farms, Lots, &c., on rea-...Having taken out a Conveyance's ...also attended to preparing ...DS, RELEASES, WILLS, LEASES, AR-...OF AGREEMENT, CLERKING ...AT SALES, &c. ...considerable experience in this line, he ...res a liberal share of patronage. Rea-...attended to and charges reasonable.— ...ress, Fairfield, Adams co., Pa. —tf

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...CREAM SALOON. ...HN GRUEL, ...rsburg St., Gettysburg, ...ers' Door to Eagle Hotel, ...hand a large assortment of all kinds of ...FECTIONERY, ...est materials, with Fruits, Almonds, ...hes, &c. ...E CREAM ...ilies, and orders for Families or Par-...ied. Having opened accommodations ...ntlemen's, and determined to please ...ople to give him a call. ...ED FRENCH RANGE ...RANGE FURNITURE ...MANUFACTURED BY ...hall, Deane & Co., ...505 & 507 Water st., New York.

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Lutheran, (Christ's)—Pastor, Rev. C. A. Hay, D. D.—Services by Professors of College and Seminary alternately. Sabbath morning and evening and Wednesday evening. During vacations, Sunday evening service omitted.
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Professional Cards, &c.

A. J. COVER, ATTORNEY AT LAW, will promptly attend to collections and all other Business entrusted to his care. Office between Valentine and Danner and Ziegler's stores, Baltimore street, Gettysburg, Pa. May 29, 1867.

DAVID A. BUEHLER, ATTORNEY AT LAW, will promptly attend to collections and all other business entrusted to his care. Office at his residence in the Diamond, Gettysburg, Pa.

DAVID WILLS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Office at his residence in the South-east corner of Centre Square. May 29, 1867.

JOS. H. LEFEVER, *ATTORNEY AT LAW* LITTLESTOWN, PA., Will promptly attend to Collections, Conveyances, Writing of Deeds, Leases, &c., and all other business entrusted to his care. ☞Office on Frederick street, at the office formerly occupied by Dr. Shreb, Kinser and Mehring. May 20, 1868.—1y*

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Attorneys and Counsellors.
D. McCONAUGHY has associated JOHN M. KRAUTH, Esq., in the practice of the law, at his old office, one door west of BUEHLER'S Drug store, Chambersburg street.
Special attention given to Suits, Collections and Settlement of Estates. All legal business, and claims for Pensions, Bounty, Back-pay, and Damages, against U. States, at all times, promptly and efficiently attended to.
Land warrants located, and choice Farms for sale Town and other western States. [Nov. 27, 1867.—t

DR. J. A. ARMSTRONG, Having located at NEW SALEM, will attend to all branches of his profession, and will be found at his office when not professionally engaged. McKINSTRYTOWN, P. O., July 24, 1868.—tf
Adams county, Pa.

DR. J. W. C. O'NEAL Has his Office at his residence in Baltimore street, two doors above the *Compiler* Office. Gettysburg, May 29, 1867.

JOHN LAWRENCE HILL, Dentist, Office in Chambersburg street, one door west of the Lutheran Church, nearly opposite Dr. R. Horner's store, where he may be found ready and willing to attend any case within the province of the Dentist. Persons in want of fallse set of teeth are invited to call. [May 20, 1867

DR. WM. STALLSMITH, *Dentist*, having located in Gettysburg, offers his services to the public. Office in York street, nearly opposite the Globe Inn, where he will be prepared to attend to any case within the province of the Dentist. Persons in want of full or partial sets of teeth are invited to call. Terms reasonable. —April 1, 1868.—tf

DR. C. W. BENSON HAS RESUMED the Practice of Medicine in LITTLESTOWN, and offers his services to the public. Office at his home, corner of Leonard street and Foundry alley, near the Railroad. Special attention given to Skin Diseases. [littlestown, Nov. 13, 1867

Coal, Lumber, Lime, &c.

GETTYSBURG LIME KILNS.

THE undersigned has bought out his former partner, WM. GUINN, and now continues THE LIME-BURNING BUSINESS himself—at the Gettysburg Lime Kilns; on the corner of the Railroad and North Stratton street. Thankful for past patronage, he will endeavor to deserve its continuance, by prosecuting the business as vigorously and on as large a scale as possible—always selling a good article and giving good measure. Farmers and others may look for the prompt filling of orders.
He also continues the COAL BUSINESS, offering the most popular kinds. House-keepers and others should give him a call. Blacksmith Coal constantly on hand.
Lime and Coal delivered anywhere in Gettysburg.
Gettysburg, Nov. 20, 1867.—tf JACOB REILLY

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Forwarding Houses.

LOOK HERE!

THE undersigned has leased the Ware house on the corner of Stratton street and the Railroad, Gettysburg, Pa., and will carry on the

Grain & Produce Business

in all its branches. The highest prices will always be paid for Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Clover and Timothy Seeds, Flaxseed, Sumac, Hay and Straw, Dried Fruit, Nuts, Soap, Hams, Shoulders and Sides, Potatoes, with everything else in the country produce line.

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS

constantly for sale, Coffees, Sugars, Molasses, Syrups, Teas, Spices, Salt, Cheese, Vinegar, Soda, Mustard, Starch, Brooms, Buckets, Blacking, Soap, &c. Also, Coal, OIL, Fish Oil, Tar, &c. FISH of all kinds; Spikes and Nails; Smoking and Chewing Tobaccos.
He is always able to supply a first rate article of Flour, with the different kinds of Feed.
Also, Ground Plaster, with Guano and other fertilizers. COAL, by the bushel, ton or car load.
He will also run a

LINE of FREIGHT CARS

to No. 165 North Howard street, BALTIMORE, and No. 311 Market street, PHILADELPHIA. All goods sent to either place will be received and forwarded promptly. All goods should be marked "CRESS' CARS."
JOHN CRESS.
April 2, 1869.—tf

NEW FORWARDING AND COMMISSION HOUSE.

HAVING purchased the extensive Warehouse, Cars, &c., of CULP & EARNSHAW, the undersigned intend to carry on the business, under the firm of BIGHAM & CO., at the old stand on the corner of Washington and Railroad streets, on a more extensive scale than heretofore.
A regular line of Freight Cars will leave our Warehouse every TUESDAY NOON, and accommodation trains will be run as occasion may require, by this arrangement we are prepared to convey Freight at all times to and from Baltimore. All orders of this kind entrusted to us, will be promptly attended to. Our cars run to the Warehouse of Stevenson & Sons, 165 north Howard street, Baltimore. Being determined to pay good prices, sell cheap and deal fairly, we invite everybody to give us a call.
WM. M. BIGHAM,
ALEXANDER COBEAN
JAMES BIGHAM.
Jan. 8, 1868.

M'CURDY & HAMILTON,

DEALERS IN

FLOUR, GRAIN, GROCERIES, &c.

THE undersigned are paying at their Ware house, in Carlisle street, adjoining Buehler's Hall, the highest prices for

FLOUR, WHEAT, RYE, CORN, OATS, BUCKWHEAT, CLOVER and TIMOTHY SEEDS, DRIED FRUIT, NUTS, SOAP, HAMS, SHOULDERS and SIDES, POTATOES, &c., &c.,

and invite producers to give them a call before selling. They have constantly on hand for sale,

A LARGE SUPPLY OF GROCERIES,

Molasses, Syrups, Coffees, Sugars, &c., with Salt Fish, Tar, Soaps, Bacon and Lard, Tobaccos, &c. Also the best brands of FLOUR, with FEED of all kinds they likewise have

SEVERAL VALUABLE FERTILIZERS,

Soluble Pacific Guano, Rhodes' Phosphate and A A Mexican Guano.
While they pay the highest market prices for all they buy, they sell on the lowest living profits—they ask a share of public patronage, resolved to give satisfaction in every case.
ROBERT M'CURDY,
WM. S. HAMILTON
July 3, 1867.—tf

NEW FIRM.

ECKENRODE & GRAFT,

HAVE taken the Warehouse, lately occupied by Philip Hann, at Granite Station, on the line of the Gettysburg Railroad, 2 miles from Hunterstown, and will deal in all kinds of

Grain and Produce,

giving the highest market price. We will also keep constantly on hand for sale all kinds of

GROCERIES,

Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Syrups, Teas, &c., with Salt Fish, Oils, Tar, Soaps, Bacon and Lard, Tobacco, &c. Also, the best brands of FLOUR, with FEED of all kinds; also, Coal.
We respectfully solicit the patronage of our friends, and invite the public to call and examine our stock.
A. E. ECKENRODE,
J. N. GRAFT.
Jan. 22.—tf

DANIEL GULDEN, DEALER IN Dry Goods, Flour, Grain, *Groceries, Lumber, Coal, &c.*

THE undersigned keeps on hand, at his Warehouse, known as "*Gulden's Station*," in Straban township on the line of the Gettysburg Railroad, all kinds of

GROCERIES,

including Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Spices, &c., with Salt Fish, Oils, Tobacco, Bacon, Lard, &c. Also,

LUMBER AND COAL,

including Building Stuff, shingles, Laths Stove and Blacksmith Coal. Also, Guano, and a large assortment of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes Hats and Caps of all kinds, which he is prepared to sell at the lowest prices.
He also pays the highest market price for Flour, Grain, Corn, Oats, Buckwheat, Clover and Timothy Seeds, Potatoes, &c., or will receive and forward the same to market on commission. He respectfully asks his friends and the public to give him a call.
Aug. 21, 1867.—tf DANIEL GULDEN.

JOSEPH WIBLE. J. E. WIBLE. WM. J. WIBLE.

Joseph Wible & Sons,

Produce Dealers, Forwarding and Commission Merchants.

South-east corner of Railroad and Washington streets,
GETTYSBURG PA.

HIGHEST cash price paid for all kinds of Grain and Country Produce generally. The highest cash price paid for good Hay and Rye Straw. We will keep constantly on hand for sale all kinds of

GROCERIES,

such as Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Molasses and Syrup, Tobaccos, Soaps, Spices, and everything usually kept in a Grocery Store.

LINE OF CARS TO BALTIMORE.

We will run a line of Cars to Baltimore weekly, to the Warehouse of EMERSON & CO., 128 North st., corner of Franklin, for the transportations of goods each way, leaving Gettysburg every Monday and returning on Wednesday.
The best brands of FERTILIZERS constantly on hand, or sawed at short notice for those ordering.
April 9, 1869.—tf

REMOVAL.—The undersigned has removed his PRINTING OFFICE from the Diamond to the corner of Railroad and Washington streets, where he will be pleased to meet his old friends and patrons.
J. E. WIBLE.

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PHOTOGRAPHS,
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GREAT VARIETY,
AND AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
☞We don't do nothing but the best of its kind. Call and examine our stock.
Copies can be furnished from all negatives ever taken at this Gallery.
TYSON'S OLD STAND.
Oct. 8.—tf

Dry Goods, Notions, &c.

GO TO

DUPHORN'S

C HIS CLOTHS.

C HIS CASSIMERS.

C ALL HIS GOODS.

BEFORE PURCHASING ELSE-WHERE IF YOU WOULD SAVE MONEY.

North-west corner of Square,
April 16, 1869.—tf
DRY GOODS. HARDWARE.

FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS HAVE RECEIVED A LARGE STOCK OF *SPRING GOODS*

QUEENSWARE. CARPETS
April 30, 1869.—tf

1869. DESIRABLE 1869.

NEW GOODS!

Most Excellent Assortment!

I SELL for very small profits, and aim at doing a very large Business.
FASHIONABLE SHADES OF FINE SILK POPLINS.
FASHIONABLE SHADES OF FRENCH WOOL POPLINS.
FASHIONABLE SHADES OF ALPACCA POPLINS.
FRENCH CHINTZES, PIQUES, PERCALES AND LAWNS.
BLACK SILKS, PLAIN SILKS, PLAID SILKS.
SWISS MUSLINS, JACONET MUSLINS, CAMBRIC.
BLACK ALPACCAS, COLORED ALPACCA, BLACK ALL WOOL DELAIN.
RICH PLAID SHAWLS, CASHMERE SHAWLS, THIBET SHAWLS.
CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, CLOAKINGS, LINEN DRILLING, COTTON DRILLING.
TABLE COVERS, TABLE LINEN, NAPKINS, TOWELS.
BALMORAL SKIRTS, HOOP SKIRTS.
PLAIN LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, HEM STITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS.
MEN'S, LADIES', MISSES', & CHILDREN'S GLOVES, AND STOCKINGS.
I am constantly receiving the latest styles of Dress and Country Goods, My stock comprises everything usually found in a first-class DRY GOODS STORE, to which I invite the attention of the public, feeling assured that I can safely challenge comparison with all other Stores in quality of goods and lowness of prices.
J. L. SCHICK.
Gettysburg, Pa., Jan. 15, 1869.—tf

$10,000 REWARD!

STORE ENTERED!

Rebert & Elliott's Store, IN GETTYSBURG,

WAS entered last Week and a large quantity of Dry Goods, Notions, Queensware and Carpeting taken.
The parties are well known, but have thus far escaped arrest, mainly for want of evidence to convict.
The persons who took the Goods are very well satisfied that they received more or better Goods for their money than they could have got at any other store.

Come one! Come one!

and examine our large assortment of

SILKS, GINGHAMS, LAWNS, BAREGES, ALPACCAS, &c., CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, TWEEDS, JEANS, TWEETS, &c.

And by dealers generally throughout the country. For information, address Hon Bower, Philadelphia. [Feb. 12.—ly

Dry Goods, Notions, &c.

H. B. WOODS,

GETTYSBURG,

Is Selling at Bottom Prices.

DRY GOODS AND DRESS GOODS,
That are down to "tight times" prices.
NOTIONS, STOCKINGS, GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS, &C.,
That are cheaper than ever.
SILK, GLASS AND OTHER DRESS BUTTONS,
In great variety.
HOOP SKIRTS, CORSETS, PROTECTORS AND THE NEW "CAN'T BREAK 'EM" CORSET CLASPS,
All necessary to get dresses to fit nicely.
PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS,
Don't buy before you get my prices.
CASSIMERS, COTTONADES, JANES, &c.,
To which I invite examination in

Price and Quality.

HATS,

All the latest Spring and Summer Styles.

SHOES

Of all kinds. In Shoes I can say that I keep the best class of goods that are kept in Adams county. Those who have tried to get cheap Shoes elsewhere soon learn that they have wasted their money.
April 16.—tf

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS AT PETERSBURG.

GRIEST & BOWERS
(Successors to E. Hitchcock.)

WOULD respectfully inform the public that they have just returned from Philadelphia with a large assortment of

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS,

consisting in part of Ladies' Dress Goods, Cloths, Cassimeres, Domestic Goods of all kinds, a full line of White Goods and Notions, Hats, Shoes, Hardware, Queensware and Groceries, Clocks, Paints, Oil, Carpets, &c., which have been purchased at panic rates and will be sold at prices to defy competition.
Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere to compare styles, quality and prices, as we are determined not be undersold by any house in the country.
GRIEST & BOWERS
April 30, 1869—tf

Fertilizers, &c.

FARMERS

TRY THE

Star Bone Phosphate.

TO all agriculturists, therefore, who are in search of an active and permanent manure, and who have the claims of this article presented to their notice for the first time, the manufacturers would suggest, that the

STAR BONE PHOSPHATE

is worthy of their experimental trial, at last; past experience warranting the fullest confidence, that after a trial they will not their testimony to that of hundreds of farmers who now regard it as the cheapest and best manure in the market.

THE AMMONIA

is supplied abundantly from the organic portion of the bone.

PRICE $55 PER TON IN BAGS.

Farmers wishing Ground Bone, Oil of Vitriol, can be supplied. Give us a call.

☞A Spangler has our Phosphate for sale.
PETER BUSHLITZ, Manufacturer,
BURKHOLDER & WILSON,
Bendersville Phosphate Works,
N. W. corner Washington and Railroad sts.
Gettysburg, Penna.

☞The Phosphate is for sale by
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WIBLE & SONS, Gettysburg, Pa.
GRAFF & ECKENRODE,
Granite Station, Pa.
MELHORN & BENDER,
New Oxford, Pa.
CHARLES KUHN, Hanover, Pa.
March 12.—tf

A Word to the Wise!

HIGHLY IMPORTANT TO FARMERS!

Renner's Chemical Fertilizer!

THE importance of a quick, active and durable Fertilizer, adapted to the soil of our county, is acknowledged by all Farmers. Having satisfied myself, after long study and careful experiment, that F. C. RENNER'S

Chemical Fertilizer

surpasses all others in adaptedness to all kinds of soil, I have purchased the right for Adams county, and am prepared to fill orders for it promptly and on reasonable terms. It is no humbug, but

HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY TRIED

by a number of our Farmers, and is admitted by all who have it to be the best in the market, and the cheapest. I am prepared to furnish this Fertilizer in any quantity, and will deliver

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NO BABY IN THE HOUSE.

The following little poem, which has been going the rounds of the press without credit, was written, it is said, by Miss Clara Dolliver, while a school girl in San Francisco:

No baby in the house, I know—
'Tis far too nice and clean;
No toys by careless fingers strewn
Upon the floors are seen.
No finger marks are on the panes,
No scratches on the chairs,
No wooden men set up in rows,
Or mar-baled off in pairs;
No little stockings to be darned,
All ragged at the toes;
No pile of mending to be done,
Made up of baby clothes;
No little troubles to be soothed,
No little hands to fold,
No grimy fingers to be washed,
No stories to be told;
No tender kiss to be given,
No nicknames, "Glove" and "Mouse;"
No merry frolics after tea—
No baby in the house.

[Communicated.

ACROSTIC.

Steady and bright as a planet of light,
To point out the pathway of duty;
A defender of all that is noble and right;
Reflecting, resplendent thy beau y—
Attacking whatever is wilful and wrong—
Never fearing to speak with fearless tongue—
Defending the aged, instructing the young.
So fixed be thy purpose where honor lies—
Ever scanning her ramparts with eagle eyes,
Nor turning away from the s'ar of truth,
That 'mid clouds thee as safely in age as in youth,
Interested in all that is good, that is great;
Nobly upholding our flag and the State;
Ever true, ever faithful and true to the last—
Let a record of truth prove thy present and past.

MAGNET.

[For the Star and Sentinel.

MODESTY.

The expressions of the man of modesty imparteth a beauteous lustre to his words, which stoneth for all error and embarrassment under which he may labor.
How truly amiable is this quality even in man, how *indispensable* in woman. Unlike the proud subject of arrogancy and self-conceit, whose bread and meat consisteth in the flattery of interested and deceitful sycophants; whose mind delighteth to dwell upon his own greatness. Dissimilar to such, is the man of unassuming manners. Disclaiming sole and presumptuous reliance upon his own wisdom, he meekly listeneth to, and weigheth the advice of a friend, and is the recipient of the benefits thereof. And when from an honest conviction of his unvarnished merits, some one, enamored of the loveliness of his character, extols his worth; he, with true dignity, turneth away from his own praise, and refuseth to accept the proffered homage. His own perfections never reveal themselves to his gaze; but are submerged in his consciousness of personal defects.
As woman, (than whom nothing excites in the bosom of man more enraptured sensations of delight,) appeareth more exceedingly lovely, when the blushing sweetness of her smiling face is faintly obscured behind the delicate drapery of her flowing veil: So are the excellencies and beauties of human character—heightened by the transparent shade which unaffected modesty casteth over them.

MAGNET.

A CERTAIN eminent judge in Georgia was very appropriately "taken down," by one of his audience during a political address.—He was a candidate for Governor of his State, and was explaining to a large crowd how his friends had pressed him to be a candidate, and that the office was seeking him, and that he was not seeking the office. "In fact," exclaimed he, "the office of Governor has been following me for the last ten years!" Just then a tall countryman in the audience arose and shouted: "But here's yer consolation, judge: You're gaining on it all the time, and it will never catch you!" The prophecy was literally fulfilled.

FIFTY years ago there was not a silk manufactory in the country. Now there are up wards of sixty large establishments engaged in the business. Connecticut leads in the manufacture, next New Jersey, but the probabilities are that California will overtake and lead all the other States. A single establishment in that State has 60,000 mulberry trees growing, and forty Chinese families, skilled in the culture of silk, are employed to attend to the business.

A YOUNG man from the country went into a drug store the other day, and seeing people freely patronizing the soda fountain at length stepped up and called for a drink of "that 'ere" for himself. After swallowing the foaming contents of the glass, and paying his money with a satisfied air upon the counter, he said: "Mister, what do you call thas this bites so?" "That is soda water." "Wall," said he, "I s'posed it was sweetened wind."

A CONDUCTOR on an Eastern railroad, who lives at Gloucester, Mass., was recently awakened from a sound sleep in church, and with his secular twang called out, "Beverly! Change cars for Gloucester, Manchester and Beverly Farms!" The effect upon the congregation may be imagined.

THERE is an old English statute which prohibits people from getting married after a certain hour in the day, because such a solemn obligation ought to be entered into only when the parties are duly sober!

A PRINTER'S apprentice says that at the office they charge him with all the pi they do find, and at the house they charge him with all they don't find. He does not understand that kind of logic.

A NEVADA paper wants a State Inebriate Asylum erected there, because "the people of Nevada require it; the people of Carson require it; the Legislature themselves require it."

LONDON covers 122 square miles, contains 400,000 dwellings with an average of eight persons to each, and has a population of nearly 3,200,000.

THE Columbus (Ohio) *Journal* pointedly remarks that "every cent of reed given to the poor here will be as much saved from use in the other world."

A BOSTON paper boasts that the printing of a pillow by a fire has the fact, eight inches long, on exchange quarter that they call hay there.

A PORTLAND apothecary has a placard in his window, announcing "Twelve emetics for one dollar; not to be taken on the premises."

THE ALPINE BRIDGE.

A little Swiss peasant girl lived with her parents on the side of one of their lofty and beautiful mountains. A deep chasm separated this from the neighboring mountains, which could only be crossed by a narrow and picturesque bridge built of stone. The little girl, whose name was Jeannette, had learned to love and serve her Saviour, for her mother was a good woman and had tried to teach her little daughter all she knew of his wondrous love in coming down to our little world to die for us. She knew how to read, and had a Bible; and though Jeannette was but eight years old, she had heard or read almost the whole of it and had learned some of the great lessons which it teaches. Not that she was by any means perfect, for she was often tempted to do wrong; but she loved her father and mother dearly, and her Saviour more than all else beside.
She often played around the cottage door, and amused herself by running back and forth across the bridge which was some distance from the house. One bright morning in spring her mother said to her, "Jeannette, I do not wish you to run across the bridge to day; there is a stone loose in the middle of it, and should you put your foot on that stone it might fall and carry you with it into the chasm, and you would be dashed in pieces." The little girl promised not to step on the bridge, and ran gleefully away to gather wild flowers, which grew in great profusion on those mountains. Beautiful hyacinths and other flowers, which we cultivate in our gardens, grow wild there. She played very happily, singly softly to herself snatches of quaint old hymns which her mother had taught her, and often gazing up into the bright blue sky, which seemed to smile down upon the lonely child. I should n t call her *lonely*, for the flowers and her own dear mountains were her friends and c mpanions; and she thought if she could only climb to the top of one of the highest, whose snow capped peaks seemed to pierce the clouds, she might look right into heaven, where she was sure she could see her dear old grandmother and little baby brother, who had died only one short year before. She wandered on, thinking so busily that she came quite near the bridge before seeing it.
Just at that moment she saw her father coming toward her, and found that he intended crossing the bridge! "Father," said she earnestly, "mother says the bridge is broken, and it will fall if you step on it." "Nonsense

The Star & Sentinel.

Friday, May 14, 1869.

Advertisers and others interested will bear in mind that the regular circulation of the "STAR AND SENTINEL" is much larger than that of any other paper published in the County, being read weekly by not less than 11,000 persons.

THE Copperheads are to be pitied.—Since the surrender of Lee and the collapse of the Rebellion, everything has gone wrong in national, state and municipal affairs—nothing right. From the election of President of the United States down to County Superintendent of Common Schools, we have nothing but grumbling, scolding and fault-finding. With the collapse of the Rebellion has come a collapse of "the nigger in the wood-pile," and hence the "uneasiness" of the Copperhead tribe. As Nasby has it, "in addishen to the other calamities, they hev bin, or are about bein, deprived uv the nigger, which hez bin their cheef and best holt." Politically they are dead, crushed amid the ruins of the Slaveholder's Rebellion; "the shadders is closing round and their nite is at hand." We do sympathise with them, but guess they richly deserve their fate.

Our neighbor of the *Compiler* is deeply infected by the saddening influences pressing on the whole tribe, and weekly pours out his lamentations and jeremiads over the wickedness and waywardness of the times. The latest occasion for grumbling is the recent election of County Superintendent, which we find in a half column of mingled misstatement of fact and bitter denunciation of the Convention, evidently inspired by the defeated aspirant for the Superintendency. The *Compiler* is simply mistaken in point of fact, when it states that "D. A. BUEHLER contended that there was a special borough law allowing the admission" of the Directors of York Springs Borough. Mr. SHEELY sought to exclude the York Springs Directors, and, although not a member of the Convention, made a speech against their admission, reading from the School law and decisions of the State Superintendent as to the status of Directors from special or independent School districts created under the School law. Mr. BUEHLER simply explained that the law and decisions thus quoted did not apply to York Springs Borough, as it had not been made a corporation or separate School district under the School law, but by virtue of a special decree of Court under the General Borough Act. The Convention saw fit to overrule Mr. SHEELY and his law, preferring to accept the ruling of State Superintendent WICKERSHAM, and ordered the names of the York Springs Directors to be enrolled, some of the Democratic Directors so voting, because of their unwillingness to violate the law, even to further partizan purposes. This is the whole of it, except that subsequently Mr. SHEELY, in addressing the Convention on the subject of salary, made a bitter and entirely uncalled for attack on State Superintendent WICKERSHAM—whether because of chagrine at the latter's ruling in the York Springs case, or the natural cropping out of bitter partisanship, matters little. Although a good bid for the votes of Democratic Directors, it was not calculated to win Republican votes.

The truth is, that Mr. SHEELY's administration of the County Superintendency has not been acceptable.—There has been a growing dissatisfaction, and in no direction more decided than in Democratic Districts. Hence the reluctance of Democratic Directors to attend the Convention, and the small turn out. Of those who did come, it was well known that a number were hostile to Mr. SHEELY's re-election. But the manipulation of party leaders brought most of them up to the rack, Mr. KELLY and other Democratic competitors being backed off the course. Some two or three, however, refused to be whipped in and voted squarely for Mr. WERT.

If there be anything in this statement unpleasant to the late County Superintendent, he will regard himself under obligations to the *Compiler* and his own imprudence. The attack on Mr. WERT, and the attempt to cripple his usefulness in official position, by poisoning the minds of Democratic Directors with gloomy forebodings of the inevitable "nigger," are ungenerous and simply betray the keenness of disappointment in the result of the election. Mr. WERT is a gentleman of scholarly attainments, a practical educator, and to say the least the peer of Mr. SHEELY in every requisite for a capable and efficient County Superintendent. So the Convention regarded him, and hence gave him their suffrages. We believe that he will discharge his duties fairly and honestly, eschewing political partizanship, and subordinating selfish purposes to the public good.

Now that Slavery has ceased to be a power in the world, old Slaveholders are willing to admit the truth about the American branch of the infernal system. From a recent number of the Washington *Star*, which is edited by a born-and-bred Slaveholder, we clip the following:

"The alleged decrease of the actual number of negroes since the war, through the loss of the patriarchal institution for their welfare (and all that sort of nonsense), will be found to have amounted to no decrease whatever. They have been better fed, better clothed, and better housed since the war than ever before, I apprehend, and where existing in greater numbers have almost entirely escaped what was previously a cause of the annual destruction of thousands on thousands of their children under one year old. I refer to the practice of overworking mothers who had infants, in cotton and sugar fields. I have personally known plantations on which for a series of years seventy-five per centum of the natural increase of the negroes were literally murdered after that fashion; it being the received theory of profitable planting; under slavery's rule, that it was cheaper to buy able hands from the Eastern and Northern slaveholding States than to raise them."

IT IS hard to please the Copperheads. One would have supposed that the Act passed by the Legislature to abolish the Spring elections and combine them with the October elections—thus saving a heavy drain on the county treasury and saving the excitement and loss of time incident to two elections in a year—would be popular with all classes. But our Copperheads have become so accustomed to fault-finding and grumbling, that even this salutary reform is bitterly denounced as a "violent change," and another instance of "careless and hasty" legislation. Well, we think the tax-payers will approve it at any rate, if Copperhead politicians don't.

THE Legislatures of Indiana and New York have passed bills transferring to the U. S. Government the interests of those States in the Gettysburg National Cemetery. The other States will doubtless concur, and the control of this sad Antietam will properly pass to Uncle Sam.

THE NEW REGISTRY LAW.

We give in full on our first page the new Registry Law, excepting that portion which applies exclusively to Philadelphia—the provisions for that city being more stringent than those for the balance of the State. The Act is an important one and should be carefully studied by every citizen. It seems to be carefully drawn, and made sufficiently stringent to guard the purity of the ballot-box, without unnecessarily burdening legal voters. Of course a regular howl will go up from the domain of Copperheadism, which thrives best amid the slime of corruption, and dreads nothing so much as a pure ballot. All good citizens, however, who appreciate the privileges of the elective franchise and do not care to have this highest political prerogative of the freeman stricken down by a recurrence of the wholesale frauds which were perpetrated at the last October and November elections, will cheerfully submit to the inconveniences attending a Registry Law, and will aid in its enforcement. While the law should, and doubtless will be, read in full, we annex a brief abstract of its more important provisions.

Sect. 1—Prescribes the duties of Assessors, who in June are to take charge of the transcript of voters furnished by the county commissioners and correct the same, by striking therefrom all who have died or removed and adding the names of new voters. The Assessor then makes out an alphabetical copy of the corrected list, showing the name, residence and occupation of each voter—marking those who vote on age, naturalization, &c.

Sec. 2—The corrected list being returned to the Commissioners, they are to cause duplicates thereof to be made out, and given to the Assessor, who shall, prior to Aug. 1, post one on the door of the house where the election is to be held, retaining the other for the inspection of citizens, and for further corrections and additions.

Sec. 3—The assessments being completed up to the tenth day preceding the October election, on the following Monday the Assessor makes a return of the revised list to the Commissioners, who hand the same to the election officers on or before six o'clock on the morning of the election.

Sec. 4—The proof requisite to enable persons to vote, whose names have been accidentally omitted, is prescribed, being carefully guarded to prevent double voting, voting on assumed names, false residence, &c.

Sec. 5—Challenges of voters are to be permitted as heretofore, whether the name be on the Registry or not, and penalities are prescribed for fraudulent voting and fraudulent reception of votes by election officers.

Sec. 6—Election officers refusing to require proof in cases of challenged votes to be liable to prosecution, with a fine not exceeding $100 and imprisonment not exceeding one year.

Sec. 7 and 8—Provision is made for a revision and correction of the lists for Presidential elections, and Special elections.

Sec. 9 and 10—Have reference to the duties and compensation of Assessors.

Sec. 11—When five or more citizens apply by petition, under oath, to the Court of Common Pleas, representing that they believe frauds will be practised in an election district, the Court are to appoint two sober, intelligent citizens to act as overseers at said election, to be selected from different political parties where the inspectors belong to different parties; but when both the inspectors are of the same party, both overseers are to be taken from the opposite party. These overseers are to have the right to be present during the whole of the election and the counting of the ballots, to challenge voters, and if the election officers permit them to be intimidated or driven away, all the votes polled at such district may be rejected.

Sec. 12—The issue or use of fraudulent naturalization papers are to be punished by fine not exceeding $1,000, and imprisonment in the penitentiary not exceeding three years.

Sec. 13—Persons making false oaths to procure the issue of naturalization papers to be guilty of perjury, and certificates thus procured are to be recalled and cancelled.

Sec. 14—Assessors neglecting their duties, as also the fraudulent altering of lists of voters, to be punished by fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 15—Spring elections are abolished, and all city, ward, borough, and township elections to be held on the second Tuesday of October.

Sec. 16—Polls to be opened between 6 and 7 A. M., and closed at 7 P. M.

Sec. 17—The Secretary of the Commonwealth to furnish blank forms to County Commissioners, and the latter to election officers.

Sec. 18—Philadelphia having a special act, only sections 12 and 13 of this act to apply to that city.

Sec. 19—Citizens of the State temporarily in the service of the State or U. States governments, who do not vote where thus employed, are not be deprived of their right to vote in their several election districts, if otherwise qualified.

Sec. 20—The provisions of former election laws inconsistent herewith are repealed.

GENERAL LAWS.

We are indebted to Hon. FRANCIS JORDAN, Secretary of State, for an advance copy of the pamphlet edition of the General Laws enacted by the last Legislature. They are 71 in number, many of them having reference to the Courts and Corporations, and of special interest to the legal profession. We annex a brief abstract of those of general interest.

No. 2—Is a supplement to the act of April 27, 1855, and intended to bar ground rents, annuities and other charges against real estate, where no demand or claim has been made for 20 years.

No. 8—Provides for the issue of attachments against fraudulent debtors, upon the oath of parties having claims exceeding $100, alledging a purpose to remove property out of the jurisdiction of the court with intent to defraud creditors, and regulates the proceedings therein.

No. 12—Provides for the appointment of two Commissioners to act in conjunction with a similar commission on the part of Delaware, to adjust and settle the boundary line between the two States.

No. 22—Is intended to prevent cruelty to animals, and prescribes cock-fighting, dog-fighting, &c., under severe penalties. We gave a full abstract of this important act several weeks ago.

No. 26—Makes "Good Friday" a legal holiday—obligations falling due on that day to become due on the preceding day.

No. 31—Is the Act allowing interested parties to be witnesses in civil suits, which we have heretofore published in full.

No. 35—Is the General Appropriation Bill. Among other provisions it fixes the pay of Associate Judges at $6 per day for every day he may be employed in official duty—the salary in no case, however, to be less than $800 a year. The pay of members of the Legislature is fixed at $1,000 and mileage.

No. 38—Is the General Registry Law, which will be found in full in to-day's paper.

No. 44—Exempts all Sewing Machines belonging to seamstresses from levy and sale on execution or distress for rent, in addition to property now exempt by law.

No. 46—Provides that the owner of any contingent interest in the personal or real estate of a decedent may require the legatee of any previous interest, before receiving the same, to give security sufficient to secure said contingent interest.

No. 50—Provides that, on the affidavit of any creditable witness that a building or other property has been set on fire maliciously, or burned from an unknown cause, any Justice of the Peace, Mayor or Alderman, of the borough, township, or district in which the fire took place, may, at the request of any citizen, or officer of insurance company having a policy on the building destroyed, proceed to investigate the origin and cause of the fire, summons a jury and compel the attendance of witnesses. The jury are to make a return to the proper officer of the facts developed by the investigation. If the jury find that the same was set on fire, the officer shall issue his warrant for the arrest of the guilty party and bind over the witnesses to testify at Court. The costs of magistrates, jurors and witnesses to be the same as in cases of coroner's inquests, and shall be paid by the party at whose instance the proceedings were commenced, when the inquest shall not find sufficient course to bind over any person; otherwise the costs to abide the issue of the prosecution in Court as in other cases.

No. 56—Gives Councils of cities and boroughs the power to provide for the inspection of milk, under such rules and regulations as will protect the people from adulteration and dilution of the same.

No. 60—Is the new Game Law, which was given in full last week.

No. 66—Creates a Board of Charities, consisting of five persons, to be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate, to hold office for five years, but the first appointees to be so allotted as to have one go out of office each year, their successors to be appointed for five years.—They are to be sworn, organize by the election of a President, Secretary and Agent, adopt rules and regulations, and be provided with suitable rooms in the State Capitol. Their business will be, by themselves or Agent, to visit all the charitable and correctional institutions of the State, Prisons, Almshouses, &c., examine into their condition and management, and make report to the Legislature. The Agent to receive a salary of $3,000 and travelling expenses—the Commissioners to receive nothing but actual travelling expenses. Keepers of prisons, almshouses, charitable and correctional institutions, are required to furnish every facility to the Agent and Commissioners in their visitations and examinations. If competent and judicious persons are appointed to carry out the provisions of this act, it will prove to be an important reformatory measure.

INTERESTING CORRESPONDENCE.

The public will remember Mr. STEVENS' letter in the fall of 1867, on general politics, and especially the question of Suffrage, soon to be permanently settled by the adoption of the Fifteenth Amendment. The views of Mr. STEVENS attracted attention all over the country, and were largely instrumental in creating the public sentiment which is now demanding a radical adjustment of this long controversy.

We have recently come into possession of the correspondence which preceded the publication of this letter, with one of our venerable citizens, who was among Mr. S's most steadfast friends in fighting the glorious battle of Republicanism and equal rights—Dr. M. D. G. PFEIFFER, of New Oxford. As a matter of public as well as personal interest, we append it:

1.—FROM MR. STEVENS.

LANCASTER, Oct. 14th, 1867.

DEAR DOCTOR:—I have been trying some way to attract public attention to some political remarks which I am about to make. I can think of no way so effective as an odd one, and no odd way so handy just now as the ancient way of dialogue as used by Socrates and his compeers, and I can think of no one so agreeable to me as one of the interlocutors, as Dr. Pfeiffer.

Of course you will be responsible for nothing that is written, as the public will well understand. If so, please give your assent by return mail, and if well enough I will send you on the first instalment at once. After that the formality of transmission may be dispensed with. The first No. will be a sample of the whole.

Yours &c.,
THADDEUS STEVENS.

DR. PFEIFFER.

2.—FROM MR. STEVENS.

LANCASTER, Oct. 14th, 1867.

DEAR DOCTOR:—Please return this manuscript as soon as you find it convenient, with such remarks as you think proper.—Always understanding that you are in no wise responsible for anything except the use of your name, of which I feel proud. I am

Yours very truly
THADDEUS STEVENS.

3.—FROM MR. STEVENS.

LANCASTER, Oct. 18th, 1867.

DEAR SIR:—A week ago I wrote to you, enclosing a manuscript package, which I requested you, whether you approved or not, to return as soon as convenient. I have received no reply. I hope it was not offensive. Its delay has caused me some inconvenience, and if convenient I wish you would enclose it to me with or without your approbation.

Yours very truly,
THADDEUS STEVENS.

To DR. PFEIFFER.

4.—FROM DR. PFEIFFER.

NEW OXFORD, ADAMS CO., PA.
Oct. 23rd, 1868.

DEAR AND TRULY HONORED FRIEND:—The pleasure which the request you made on me in your letter of the 14th of October, and how much I appreciate and value the same as an evidence of your unabated friendly regard for you old friend, I am unable to express.

Where in this country—yea! world—could I find a more honorable place for my name, than in connection with any thing to be said to the public, as profitable to its welfare, by you, always their best, truest and wisest friend? Highly honored shall I feel to find it *there*, and pleased will be my relations and friends in the old country, and a vast majority of my German countrymen who know me here, to see my name thus honored by their *greatest* man so shortly before our earthly life must, by the law of nature, close forever.

I have perused your manuscript, as far as in my hands, with the most intense interest, and am anxious to receive the remainder. The people will agree with me when I say, from my heart I thank my friend for his untiring labor, in trying to promote the welfare of our country, and that truth and logic will, here as well every where, cry Amen! to what you shall say.

Your true and respectful friend as ever,
M. D. G. PFEIFFER.

To HON. THADDEUS STEVENS.

5.—FROM MR. STEVENS.

LANCASTER, Oct. 24th, 1867.

DEAR DOCTOR:—I hereby acknowledge the receipt of the manuscript, and am obliged to you for your kindness.

Yours very truly,
THADDEUS STEVENS.

To DR. M. D. G. PFEIFFER.

"The Imperialist" newspaper has come out against the "Radicals," and in favor of the Democracy. What is *called* Democracy, and what *is* Impeachment, thus at last "lie down togeth-er.

Hear the new pronunciamento against Radicalism:

"Congress is the Dictator. Give us a form of government like England's and a man like Gen. Lee for a Monarch. We want no trash to rule over us, as it has ruled and continues to rule."

WE observe that Gov. GEARY has appointed HON. DANIEL M. SMYSER, Associate Law Judge in the Seventh Judicial District. This office was created by act of the last Legislature, and will be ably filled by our former townsman. We presume, an election will be held in October for the full term.

THE Legislature of Indiana has passed an act abolishing Spring Elections, providing that all elections shall be held on the second Tuesday of October, *of every second year.*

THE PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPLETED.

The great event of the day was the completion of the Pacific railroad on Monday last. The road was commenced about three years ago, but has been pressed with an energy and success unparelleled in the history of railroad construction. At Promontory Summit, Utah Territory the walnut tie and silver rail were laid, and the golden spike was driven, which form the connecting link of the Central and Union Pacific Railroads, and the great inter-oceanic route is completed, binding the shores of the Atlantic and Pacific in indissoluble bonds.—The point of junction is 1,086 miles west of the Missouri river, and 690 miles east of Sacramento. The connection was made at five minutes past three o'clock in the afternoon, and while the last strokes of the hammer were falling the telegraph was simultaneously repeating them in all the large cities of the country. In New York the great event was commemorated by the firing of a salute and a jubilee service in Trinity Church. Mayor Hall sent a congratulatory despatch to the Mayor of San Francisco, and similar messages passed between the Chambers of Commerce in each city. In Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston and other cities and towns, similar rejoicings took place, Vice President Colfax delivering an address at Chicago upon the importance of the occasion. Baltimore alone seems to have allowed the event to have passed by unnoticed.

The road as completed extends from Omaha, by way of Salt lake City, to Sacramento. It connects at Omaha with two lines of road across Iowa to Chicago, and at Sacramento with a line for San Francisco. The distance from Omaha to Ogden, the point of junction, is 1,032 miles; from Ogden to Sacramento, 730 miles; so that the Pacific Railroad is 1762 miles in length.—San Francisco is 120 miles from Sacramento; Chicago is 494 miles from Omaha, and 804 miles from Baltimore. From Baltimore to Omaha, 1296 miles, the traveller can go by express trains in fifty-nine hours, or, say two days and a half. The time from Omaha to San Francisco is not fixed, but it will hardly extend over four days, so that it will be possible to make the trip from Baltimore to San Francisco, a distance of 3,178 miles, in six days.

THE 14TH AMENDMENT.—IMPORTANT DECISION.—RICHMOND, VA., May 10.—Chief Justice Chase this morning delivered an opinion on the appeal from Judge Underwood's decision in the District Court, declaring null the sentence of Judge Sheffey, of the State Court, on the ground of Sheffey's ineligibility under the Fourteenth Amendment. The case was that of Cæsar Griffin, a negro, sentenced to the penitentiary for shooting a man. The Chief Justice read the opinion of the Court, holding that a State Government in Virginia had been recognized all during the war by Congress—first at Wheeling and then at Alexandria. The action of that Government in dividing the State had been recognized by the Federal Government, and Senators and Representatives elected by that Government had been allowed seats in Congress. It was under this Government that Sheffey had been appointed, and he was therefore a legal Judge as far as the State Government was concerned.

The question now came up whether, being ineligible, he was absolutely removed by the operations of the Fourteenth Amendment. The United States District Judge had decided that he was, but in the examination of questions of this sort great attention is properly paid to the argument of inconvenience, and a construction which must necessarily occasion great public and private mischief must never be preferred to a construction which will occasion neither in so great a degree, unless the terms of the instrument absolutely require such preference. The opinion here shows the anarchy which would be produced in a State by declaring past legal proceedings void.—It then considers the character and intent of the third section of the Fourteenth Amendment, which are declared to be punitive. The Fourteenth Amendment is not self-enforcing, and it needs the further legislation of Congress to enforce it. Two months after the judgment now being revised was delivered, Congress passed a joint resolution providing for the removal of all ineligible officers, showing that persons then holding office were held to be *de facto* officers, and also providing the means for their removal by the military.

The Court said that the Supreme Court had unanimously concurred in the opinion that a prisoner sentenced by a Judge *de facto*, though not a Judge *de jure*, could not be reached by *habeas corpus*.

The decision of the District Court was reversed, and Cæsar Griffin was remanded to the State authorities.

To Parents, Guardians, Pastors and others, whose Sons, Wards or Friends may be leaving home for Residence in the City of Philadelphia.—

The YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION of Philadelphia, announce that they have a Committee for the purpose of showing kindness to Young Men who are strangers, and leading them under religious influences. They therefore request all who desire the co-operation of this Committee, to send the names and addresses of Young Men about to reside in Philadelphia in whom they are interested, with such particulars of character as they may deem proper, (which will be strictly confidential,) to JNO. WANAMAKER, Chairman of Committee, Hall of the Association, 1210 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

JOSEPH Adkins, a Republican member of the Georgia Legislature, was murdered on Monday in Warren county, that State, when within three miles of his home.

GENERAL NEWS.

THE New York *Tribune* made $200,000 last year.

VELOCIPEDE practice has been prohibited in Indianapolis.

GEN. Grant has recently bought a Hambletonian colt for $1,000.

Two country editors in New York State return over $12,000 income each.

HORACE GREELY is worth about one hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars.

THE Prussian Government supported twenty-six agricultural schools last year.

PRESIDENT GRANT has presented his war saddle to Mr. Washburne, father of the Hon. E. B. Washburne.

GENERAL CANBY has fixed the first Tuesday in July as the day for holding the election in Virginia.

FORTY-FIVE horses and mules were lost by the burning of a St. Louis livery stable on Saturday.

THE President has appointed General Terrill, of Indiana, to be Third Assistant Postmaster General.

TAMMANY'S DAY, the 12th of May, was celebrated by the Order of Red Men, with a grand parade at Philadelphia.

MINNESOTA is overrun with agents of wheat buyers, who are engaged in buying up all the wheat they can get hold of.

A FISH, almost identical with the salt-water shad, has made its appearance in Lake Ontario for the last two years.

THE President has appointed Gen. M. M. Gregory Marshal of the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, to succeed Gen. Ely, decease.

RADFORD A. RHODES, a prominent Republican of Warren county, Georgia, was assassinated last Wednesday night at his residence.

A STRIKE commenced on Monday in the Pennsylvania coal regions, and work is entirely suspended in the Lehigh and Schuylkill mines.

GENERAL H. G. Sickel will be appointed Collector of Internal Revenue for the Fourth District, vice Alexander Cummings, of Pennsylvania.

A PITTSFIELD lad recently sold 201 muskrat skins of his own trapping, and with the profits thereof paid his last winter's tuition at school.

THE President has decided not to make any appointment of Governor for New Mexico until Congress removes the political disabilities of Mr. Crowe.

THERE are now living in Upson county, Georgia, an old couple, man and wife, whose united ages are 203 years—the man being 101 and the woman 102 years old.

REPORTS received at the Internal Revenue Department in Washington from Assessors say that more persons have made income returns this year than in any previous year.

A NUGGET, which weighed 210 pounds troy, and yielded on smelting 2,268 ounces of pure gold, was lately got out of the Donolly diggings, Australia. It is the largest on record.

IN the Spanish Cortes the article of the new Constitution guaranteeing liberty of worship was adopted by the decisive vote of one hundred and sixty-four in its favor to forty against it.

THE Secretary of the Treasury will purchase 5-20 bonds to the amount of $1,000,000 each week, and has directed the Assistant Treasurer at New York to receive proposals therefor.

PARTIES arriving at Washington from Tennessee say that ex-President Johnson has fizzled completely out, and no longer possesses any power to seriously annoy the Republican party there.

STATISTICS at the Internal Revenue Bureau show that the receipts from the tax on distilled spirits under the present rate of fifty cents per gallon are double that realized under the old tax of $2.

RICHARD MARLEY, one of the oldest Odd Fellows in the United States, died in Baltimore, on Friday, aged 78. He was Past Grand Master, and, for a long period, was Treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Maryland.

SERGEANT ROBISON, the soldier who saved the life of Secretary Seward at the time of Payne's assault, has received a gold check for $500 from citizens of Nevada. He is at present a clerk in the Quartermaster's Department.

MEXICAN advices to the 30th of April say that the feeling of dissatisfaction with Juarez's Government has extended throughout the Republic. News from Washington concerning General Grant's policy was anxiously awaited.

THE Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided that, under the act of April 10th, 1869, dealers in liquor who sell in quantities of five gallons and upwards, must pay special tax *both* as *wholesale* and *retail* liquor dealers.

THE New York *Times* shows the fees of the Sheriff of New York to amount at present to more than $300,000 per annum, and says that a bill now pending before the Legislature, if passed, will increase the emoluments of the office to one million yearly.

A CITIZEN of Cincinnati missed a package of ten $100 Treasury notes which he had deposited for safe keeping under the carpet of one of the bed rooms of his house. A few days since he noticed his little girl of four years drawing sundry slips of green paper to paste together. Only $200 of the original amount had been destroyed or lost.

FEMALE SUFFRAGE IN MASSACHUSETTS.—The joint special committee of the Massachusetts Legislature that for some time past has had under consideration the subject of woman suffrage submitted their report on Saturday. The report is a favorable one, and is signed by every member of the committee except the Rev. Mr. Dowse, of the Senate. Having given the subject their most serious consideation, the committee conclude their report by recommending an article of amendment to the Constitution striking out the word male, and allowing women to vote and hold office, subject to the same restrictions and disabilities as male citizens.

THE General Conference of the United Brethren Church will meet at Lebanon, Pa., on the 20th of May. This is the highest body in the church, all legislative authority granted in the constitution of the church being vested in it. It meets every four years, and is composed of three delegates from every Annual Conference, who are selected from among the ministers who have been ordained to the office of an elder at least three years previous to the sitting of the General Conference, and who have been for that length of time members of the Annual Conference from which they have been elected. In selecting these delegates the entire membership, male and female, has a vote.

THE Richmond *Dispatch* says that it is distressing to hear of the neglect of the bones of Confederate soldiers who are buried on Virginia battle-fields where they fell, and "the reports that reach us of the sacrilegious conduct of many Virginians are so shocking that we hesitate to give them credence."—The *Dispatch* then states that on the northeast side of the fort at Malvern Hill "is most horrible scene presents itself. Thousands of Confederate soldiers having been buried where they fell, twenty acres or more have just been ploughed up by the owner of the field, and the ploughshare turned to the surface all the skeletons! Over the whole tract the bones are strewn in profusion, and grinning skulls stare the visitors in the face on every hand." Quite a few of these bones have been taken to Richmond, and sold to facilitating mill-stones!

NASBY.

Mr. Nasby Tries an Experiment which Results not as He expected—The New Feeling towards the Nigger in Indiana.

POST OFFIS, CONFEDERT X ROADS,
(Which is in the Stait uv Kentucky.)
May 1–1869.

The Dimocrisy uv the country are not in the happy condishen jest at this time that I could wish. The Satrap at the head uv the Government, and his subordinit satraps at the head uv the Departments, hev not left ez many openins ez they ought, for our good, and the reducksheu uv the expenditoors uv the Government so persistently follered up is death to us. We want groanin, but it must not be uv dismist clerks and army officers. Hed the Government put a garrison into every town ez we professide it would, and cood we hev had this summer, in addition, the potator rot, weevil, frost, locusts, floods, dronth, yeller fever and cholery, we mite hev stood some chauce uv carryin the fall elecksh uns, for the people wood hev murmered. But ez long ez everything is smooth they laff at us when we insist upon a change and say, jeerinly, "Go up bald head!"

And in addishen to these calamaties we hev bin, or are jest about being, deprived uv the nigger which hez bin our cheef and best holt. O, wat a backslidin there hez bin in this matter! O, wat a levelin there hez bin uv the walls uv the Dimocratic Zion! O, wat a goin back there hez bin on Dimocratic cardinal principles!

Feelin an oneasinis in my mind ez to the condishen uv the public mind in the Northern States on the adopshen uv the Fifteenth Amendment I determined to try a most hazardous experiment. I hed no fears uv Kentucky, none. Kentucky will git ready to adopt an idea ninety years after date, but I felt that I wantid to be satisfied ez to the soundnis uv the Ohio and Injeany Dimocrisy on this question.

To this end I determined to resort to strategy. I wanted to know percisely the feelins entertained in those States regardin the Afriken. I wanted to see with my own eyes the skorunful look wich wuz formerly slung at Afric's sons; I wanted to here agin from Democratic lips that cheerin expression, "D—n the nigger, anyhow!" To accomplish this, I determined to personate a nigger, and in that guise to go boldly into Ingeany, announce myself ez an Afrikin nigger, determind to assert his rites, and note the result. I expectid, uv course, to be hooted and reviled. I expectid to be stoned and shot at, but I wood thereby kill two birds with one stun, viz: I wood disgust the Ingeanions with nigger ekwality, ez they wood see to wat it wuz leadin, and I cood exhibit my scars to Kentucky ez proof uv the stedfastnis uv their northern friends.

Wat I determine upon I do. In my younger days the feat involvin the possession of a horse, wich resultid in my bein tried for grand larceny, and convicted therefor by 12 prejoodist joorymen, and my incarcerashen from wich I wuz only releeved becoz my vote wuz needid to carry Pennsylvany for Bookannon, this masterpeece wuz conceeved and execooted in less than four hours. Unforchnitly, the courts wuz nearly ez expedishus, for four days thereafter I found myself in a Basteel.

I entered Ingeany ez a white man; I rejestered my name at a hotel ez a white man, but left it a nigger, wich transformashen wuz accomplished by means uv burnt cork, in my room; wich transformashen wuz uv double yoose, ez it enabled me to leave my hotel without likidatin my account, wich otherwise wood hev bin impossible. The country in wich I landid wuz a close one, the two parties bein nearly tied, neither fifty votes to spare, and there bein over a hundred niggers in the county, the Afrikin will, of the votes this fall, hold the balance of power.

With my face and hands blackt to the color uv nite, and assumin the character uv a preacher in the M. E. Afrikin Church, wich character I cood assoom, ez the burnt cork hid the acquired color uv my nose, I sallied forth boldly. Procoorin the locashen uv the leadin Dimocrat uv the country, wich wuz also the candidate for Sheriff, I sought him out and demandid a subscripshen for a Afrikin Church, wich I asserted I wuz desirous uv erectin in the cast part uv the county, and uv wich I wuz to be pastor in charge, holdin myself at the time in sich a poslshen that a kick cood do but little damage.

I WEZ NOT KICKT!

On the contrary quite the reverse! The gushin candidate kindly, blandly, and winninly begged me to be seated; he askt me, with tears uv intrest gushin from his eyes, ez to the prospex uv our Zion; ez to how many we numbered, male and female, adult and youthful, and whether or not we cood get indulge a reasonable hope that many more uv our color mightn't be indoost to leave the South and settle in the country.

Hopin to frighten him with nigger emigranshen, wich I hed heerd him denounce not a year before in onmitigatid terms, I answerd promptly that I wuz even then arrangin for the removal uv three thousand into the county.

"Thank the Lord!" sed he. "The admirashen I feel for the Afrikins—the respeck I hev for ther many qualities uv head and heart make me say, in the language uv the inspired writer, 'The more the merrier.' Here is my humble contriboochen to your church," sed he, handin me $10, "take it, and may the Lord bless its yoose. And next fall, after the Amendment is ratified, and your people git the rites wich wuz allus theirn, I trust yoo will remember at the polls them wich hev stood yoor friends, uv whom I am one."

Dumfoundid I staggerd over to another who was candidate for Treasurer, and to my surprise and horror he not only give me $10, but took me by the arm in a most affecksnate manner, and insistid on takin me round and assistin me in raisin the amount I needid. Feelin that so far ez hatin the nigger was concerned, all wuz lost, I recklessly went with him, and reely did raise $160 cash off uv the candidates for the County offices, and one wich desires to okkepy a seat in Congris. Only wunst wuz this wretch non plussed. Turning a corner sharp we came upon suthin like fifteen gentlemen who wuz a workin on the streets with a ball and chain attached to em. The minit his eyes struck em he loosed his holt of me and shot ahead, keepin in advance till we had turned the next corner.

"Why this manceuver?" askt I, thankful that he had even that much uv originel Democratic feelin in him.

"My dear sir!" replied he, "You will excuse me, but the fact is I'm in a prekarious situoashen. I'm a candidate, and its close. Them gentlemen with the ball and chain hev votes, and they hev a most crooil prejoodis agin those uv your color. We must humor their idisyncrosies, till we kin correct em. The time is comin, and I'm laborin for it nits and day, when it will all be removed. My deer sir, at the polls this fall will yoo and yoor flock remember the sacrificis I hev made and am makin?"

But I did come to greef. One uv these candidates insisted upon takin me, nigger ez he sposed me to be, home to his house to dinner. Injoodishus ez it wuz I went, and ther met my fate. He led me to a chamber, and without thinkin uv the burnt cork on my hands I undertook to wash em, wich I make a pint uv doin regerly twice a week. The first splash in the water showed me my blunder. Off come the color and I stood afore him a white man in disguise. He gave one look at my hands, and then the kickin! Ignominyualy he led me to the front door and one kick landid me on the sidewalk. Thank Heaven he coodent kick the $160 out uv my breeches pocket!

Its needle to purseu the disgustin subjick further.

In a nigger I wuz welcomed; when it wuz known that I wuz a white man I wuz ignominiously kickt! Is this the beginin uv a new order of things? Is the niggers to recceve all the smiles hereafter uv Democrats who want office? I fear me. No sooner is ther a probability uv this race gittin a vote than the Dimocratic leaders, forgittin ther proud Caucashen blood, forgittin the kifference in the anatomical structer uv the two races, and forgittin that the minit they give the nigger a vote, ther daughters must all marry niggers; they forgit all this, and cuddle with em the same ez they alluz hev with other inferior classes.

I returned home weary and sad, and silent. I hed nothin to say to Bascom; no cheerin words to sling at Deekin Pogram. They didn't know wat I went for nor how I went, nor shel they ever know. I am, however, satisfied that I must immejitly make a shift into suthin. My time here is rapidly drawin to a close—the shadders is closin round me, and the nite is at hand.

PETROLEUM V. NASBY, P. M.,
(Which is Post Master.)

NEWS OF NEIGHBORING COUNTIES.

CARROLL.—The following Postmasters have been appointed:—At Warfieldsburg, George J. Batson, vice Joshua W. Sellman, removed; Double Pipe Creek, Daniel R. Sayler, vice Wm. Diffendall, removed; Sykesville, Jacob M. Zimmerman, vice James Sykes, removed; Franklinville, David Buckingham, vice Lewis Linsey, removed; Silver Run, David L. Feesser, vice E. T. Hahn removed; Harney, David Bollinger, vice Wm. P. Eckenrode, removed; New Windsor, Ellanan Stouffer, vice Daniel Stouffer, resigned; Middleburg, Francis T. Birely, vice Evan C. Otto, resigned; Carrollton, Milton Chew, vice Jabez A. Bosh, resigned; Alfred P. Cook, of Westminster, has been appointed Route Agent from Baltimore to Union Bridge.

CUMBERLAND.—Wm. B. Mullin, for the last thirty-five years a paper manufacturer at Papertown, Cumberland county, died suddenly on Saturday the 1st inst., of disease of the heart. He was at one of his mills in the morning, attending to business as usual. Stepping to his residence, near by, for some change to pay a hand, he complained of feeling unwell—and in a few minutes was dead.—George Swartz has been re-elected County School Superintendent, salary $1,000.—A son of John H. Gross, of Mechanicsburg, aged 3 years, had his right arm fractured last week by being thrown from a wagon, standing in an ally, by two companions with whom he was playing.—The Republican County Committee has appointed J. V. Gish delegate to the State Convention, with instructions in favor of the re-nomination of Gov. Geary.—George Keller, of Carlisle, had his collar bone broken on the 5th inst., while playing a game of base ball.

FRANKLIN.—Rev. A. Buhrman, of Waynesboro', has declined the call to Middletown, Md.—George Fourthman has been elected Burgess of Waynesboro'.—The Republican County Committee have chosen A. H. Schaffbirt delegate to the State Convention, and instructed him to go for Geary for Governor.—George H. Miller has been appointed Postmaster at Greencastle, and Andrew J. Nevin at Waynesboro.—Henry Wallace, of Greenvillage, and Lafayette Wood, of Hagerstown, have been appointed mail agents on the Cumberland Valley Railroad.—The Mercersburg Classis of the Reformed Church, will hold its regular annual session in Zion's Reformed Church, in Chambersburg, this week.—The Chambersburg Woolen Mill, which has been lying idle, or nearly so, for several months, was sold last week to an association of individuals, and will shortly be put in active operation, with flattering prospects of success. The price paid for the entire property, embracing the grist mill, &c., was about $70,000. The purchasers intend to increase this sum to $100,000, and will thereby have a working capital, above their real estate, of $30,000. At a meeting of the new Stockholders, on the 10th inst., an organization was effected by the election of Major James C. Austin President, and Mr. Wm. Wallace Treasurer.—Samuel Golwirt of Strasburg, has been elected County Superintendent—salary $1,200.

FREDERICK.—Mail route 3,056 from Wolfsville to Sabillasville, has been given to John Hoover, of Wolfsville, from 1st of July to 30th of June, 1872, at $117 per annum.

FULTON.—The thief who stole the horses of Messrs. Kendall and Nelson, last week, has been arrested in Washington City.—W. P. Garden has been elected County School Superintendent—salary $500.

WASHINGTON.—Mrs. Rowland, who has been upon trial before the Circuit Court of Allegany county, for the murder of her husband, Henry Rowland, near Hagerstown, has been acquitted. An indictment is still pending against her for alleged poisoning of her husband.—On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 25th, 26th and 27th, the great horse show, under the management of the Washington county

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Gettysburg, Friday, May 14, 1869.

☞The Velocipede mania has reached Littlestown, a school having been opened in that place by parties from Gettysburg.

IN CHARGE.—Rev. M. J. ALLEMAN last week took charge of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Littlestown. He was warmly welcomed by the members of the congregation at the parsonage.

☞Mr. GINTER, a workman at the mill of Joseph Lilley, in Mountpleasant township, had his arm badly crushed one day last week, by having it caught between two wheels.

ROBBED IN CHURCH.—On Sunday last, Jesse Nelson, a colored man, had his pocket book, containing $6 to $8 of money, stolen, whilst attending Sabbath School in the African M. E. Church, in this place. The thief has not yet been discovered.

STORE ROBBED.—On Friday night last, the store of Daniel Gulden, at Gulden's Station, five miles east of Gettysburg, was burglariously entered, and a small amount of money, and several yards of Cloth and other goods taken there-No arrests have as yet been made.

☞JOHN N. BOYER of Straban township, sold to Dr. T. T. TATE a Colt, 13 months old, for $115. The following week Dr. TATE sold the same colt to ISAAC WOOLING of Selinsgrove, for $150. It is a large, fine and symmetrical colt, and was sired by the thorough-bred horse "Cashier."

STILL THEY COME.—The last *Compiler* announces three additional candidates for county offices, "subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention,"—Wm. C. Bock, of Reading for Register and Recorder; R. C. Swope, Hamiltonban, for sheriff; and Levi Schwartz, of Mountpleasant, for Director of the Poor. This makes thirteen already announced, with more coming.

BORDER DAMAGES.—A Convention has been called to meet in Chambersburg on Monday, June 1, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to devise measures by which concerted and effective action may be taken by all the border counties, in order that compensation for losses sustained may be secured. Our Franklin county neighbors are moving in the right direction, concertedly and in earnest. Would it not be well for the Adams county claimants to do likewise—at least take steps to be represented in the Chambersburg convention?

LAMP EXPLOSION.—A coal oil lamp exploded in the store of Wm. McSherry at White Hall, in this county, on the night of the 4th inst., about eleven o'clock. Mr. McSherry was about closing up his store, and turned the lamp down a little and then blew at it to blow it out, when the flame seemed to run down in the lamp, and it exploded, making a tremendous report, and scattering the burning fluid over the floor and counter. Mr. McSherry succeeded in extinguishing the flames without sustaining much damage.—*Press.*

☞ELECTIONS.—On the 1st inst., the following gentlemen were elected officers of the Littlestown Building Association:

President—Isaac Staub.
Vice President—Levi D. Maus.
Directors—Henry Klein, Henry Rahter, J. H. Miller, Jacob Horuberger, Simon S. Bishop.
Treasurer—J. H. Colehonse.
Secretary—J. A. Lefevre.

On the 4th inst., the following gentlemen were elected Directors of the Littlestown Savings Institution:—Joseph L. Shorb, Samuel Schwartz, Ephraim Myers, Moses Hartman, Samuel P. Young, Levi D. Maus and George Stonesifer.

Mr. James L. Lefevre is continued as Cashier.—*Press.*

EAGLE SHOT.—On the 3d inst., Leander R. A. Hummer, son of Peter Hummer, Esq., of Tyrone township, shot an Eagle, with, white head and black cap, which measured 5 feet 11 inches between the tips of the wings, and two feet from the bill to the tail.

Mr. Hummer has also been successful in catching Weasels. On the 24th ult., he captured a female Weasel with seven young ones. His dog killed three of the latter. The other four, with the mother, were taken alive, and are still in Hummer's possession, having become quite tame. He has since captured three other Weasels, making eleven in all.

DR. MORRIS ON THE BEE.—Rev. Dr. MORRIS, of Baltimore, who by special appointment of the Board of Trustees, has been delivering a series of lectures in Pennsylvania college on Natural History, delivered a public lecture in Christ's Church on Thursday evening last, before a large audience, on the Honey Bee, accompanied by diagrams and illustrations. We need scarcely say that it was an interesting lecture, the subject being one of peculiar interest, and besides Dr. MORRIS has rare capacity as a popular lecturer-few men having equal tact in so judiciously mingling abstract scientific truths with every-day illustrations and pertinent anecdote, as to relieve the tedium of the hour.

S. SCHOOL EXHIBITION.—The Exhibition of the Methodist Episcopal Sabbath School in Agricultural Hall, on Friday night, was a decided success. The hall was crowed with old and young, and nothwithstanding that the exercises were protracted through three hours, they were judiciously varied, so as to keep up the interest to the close. The exhibition was repeated on Saturday night, with some changes in the programme, the attendance being again large. We should suppose the receipts netted a handsome sum to the school, and will go far to compensate the officers and teachers for the labor and patience requisite in getting up such an exhibition, besides gratifying the little ones.

EXCURSION.—Quite a number of young folks, on Tuesday evening, went to Hanover in a special train, with the ladies and gentlemen who had engaged to give a concert in that place, the excursionists filling two large passenger cars. The programme of the concert had been arranged to come off in Agricultural Hall in this place, but for various reasons it was abandoned, when an invitation was received to give the Concert in Hanover in aid of the Sabbath School of St. Mark's Lutheran Church. As the party was made up of some of our best vocalists and instrumental performers, of well known musical talent, we need scarcely say that the Concert was a success. The pieces vocal and instrumental, had been selected with much taste and judgment, and their execution being faultless, elicited high commendation from proficients in music. The only draw-back was in the utter inadaptedness of the Hall, in which the concert was held, for musical purposes. Acoustics were evidently not thought of in its construction, and the consequence is a deadly distressing effect upon the voice, which is most annoyingly felt in the finest and most artistically executed passages. The Hall was well filled, and the audience apparently well pleased.

At the close of the exercises, a number of the Gettysburg visitors repaired to the residence of Mrs. NAIL, where an elegant entertainment had been provided by some whole-souled ladies, and which took the party by surprise. After spending a pleasant hour in social converse, the excursionists returned to the cars, reaching Gettysburg before 12 o'clock. The evening was pleasant—the greeting at Hanover cordial—the Concert a "treat"—the officers of the Railroad accommodating and courteous—all combining to make the excursion unusually enjoyable.

SODA WATER.—E. H. MINNICH, Chambersburg street, next door to the Keystone House, has started his Soda Fountain for the season. If you want a delicious glass of Cream Soda Water, call at Minnich's.

RAILROAD MEETING.—A meeting of the bondholders of the Gettysburg R. R. Company, held in pursuance of the call recently published, on Saturday last, JACOB LOTT, Esq., of Cumberland township, was called to the chair, and Col. JOHN H. MCCLELLAN, of Gettysburg, was appointed Secretary.

After a general interchange of opinion, it was on motion resolved that a Committee of fifteen be appointed to take in charge the interests of the creditors and bondholders generally, with authority to call a subsequent meeting of bondholders when in their judgment necessary.

The Committee consists of the following gentlemen:

George Swope, Esq., Gettysburg, *Chairman:*

Wm. Bittinger, Dr. J. W. Hendrix, David M. Myers, Frederick Diehl, John H. McClellan,, M. Eichelberger, Wm. Douglass, John Musselman, Jacob Benner, Dr. E. G. Fahnestock, Henry J. Stahle, Abraham Mickley, Abraham Krise, John Houck.

On motion, adjourned.

JACOB LOTT, Chr'n.
JOHN H. MCCLELLAN, Sec'y.

RAILROAD MOVEMENTS.—We notice by the Washington papers that a delegation consisting of Mr. Lautz, President of the Frederick and Pennsylvania Line Railroad Company, and other citizens of Frederick, Md., were in the former city last week, to consult prominent citizens in regard to building a railroad line from Washington to Lake Erie, by way of Frederick. Resolutions were adopted by the meeting approving of the proposed line between Washington and Frederick, and in favor of securing a charter from Congress authorizing its construction. A Committee was also appointed to solicit subscriptions for an experimental survey from Frederick to the Northwest. There is some difference of opinion as to the route from Frederick North. The present line laid down by the Frederick and Pennsylvania Line road looks to Littlestown as the point of connection. Emmitsburg, however, is moving to have the line located to that place, with ultimate extension to Gettysburg, Harrisburg, &c., while another interest favors striking the Pennsylvania line further west, in the direction of Buffalo and Lake Erie.

LOCAL LEGISLATION.—Among the local bills passed at the last session of the Legislature, is one entitled:

"An act to regulate medical practice in the counties of York, Adams, Perry, Juniata, Indiana, Elk, Bucks, Northampton and Lehigh." It imposes a fine of from one hundred to five hundred dollars upon any person who shall commence or continue in the practice of medicine or surgery who is not a graduate of some chartered medical college, or who has not been in continuous regular practice for eight years. It also requires transient practitioners to appear before the clerk of the courts, and prove that the above conditions have been complied with, and also to take out a license for one year by paying a license fee for the use of the county, of two hundred dollars.

All non-graduates who have not been already in regular practice eight years will have to suspend, while in future none but graduates can commence business. Sharp that, and doubtless intended to do away with quacks—but how about graduates without brains? A diploma *ought* to guaranty the possession of brains, but unfortunately it don't.

GOOD TEMPLARS.—A Good Templars Lodge was organized at Bendersville, Jan. 25th, with ten members, since which time it has increased gradually, and now, at beginning of 2d quarter, numbers 54 members. This Lodge is composed of good material and the membership are earnest in the work of reform. The following are the officers installed by T. U. Helnard D. G. W. C. T. at the beginning of the present quarter.

W. C. T., A. G. Peters; W. V. T., Miss Sallie Bender; W. S., Miss Lizzie Wright; W. T., John H. Peters; W. O. G., Michael Irvin; W. I. G., Miss Kate Peters; W. M., G. A. Cline; W. F. S., Amos W. Greist; W. A. S., Charles Bongsdorf; W. D. M., O. J. Heinard; W. C., Rev. J. B. Young; W. R. S., Ruth Wills; W. L. S., Ella M. Irvin; R. W. C. T., H. N. Minnigh.

APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. SCELL, the newly appointed U. S. Assessor for this district, took possession of the office on yesterday.—We understand that he has determined to retain the four existing subdistricts in the county, and has appointed the following as his assistants: John M. Krauth, Esq., of Gettysburg for the first; William King of New Oxford, for the second; William S. Carl, of Menallen, for the third; and Cyrus G. Beales, of York Springs, for the fourth.

In the retirement of J. C. NEELY, Esq., of Gettysburg, present Assistant Assessor, we but echo the general judgment in expressing our sense of his capacity, fidelity, and efficiency. He has administered the law impartially, and fairly; has been watchful, and active; and carries with him the respect of all classes of the community.

[Communicated.

MR. EDITOR:—I noticed a few days ago, that the building committee of the Springs Hotel, is putting on a Gravel Roof. I think it a wise selection, for a building of that kind, and for the purpose it is used—shower baths are desirable to the boarders of the Hotel. It will save the trouble and expense of erecting a bath house, as you can have a shower bath after every heavy rain, after the roof has been on the building one year or less.

I know that five or six of the same kind of roofs were put on houses in New Oxford—all of which are being taken off and tin roofs substituted, I have been informed that Mr. J. S. Gitt has taken off a nearly new Pulaski Slate Roof and is putting on a tin. Time will soon show if the Architect understood his business when he recommended a Gravel roof on the large Hotel.

IMPROVEMENT.

GETTYSBURG, May 6, 1869.

AN INQUIRY.

MR. EDITOR:—Will some of your correspondents have the kindness to inform me who first introduced among us the use of Plaster of Paris as a fertilizer?

The story is often told of DR. FRANKLIN writing in plaster, on the grass, the, "*This is Plaster of Paris,*" and thus introducing it, by the superior growth of the herbage on which it had been placed, to the notice of farmers. This anecdote has been so frequently repeated, and believed by its numerous hearers, that it was painful to see it contradicted in a late number of a Southern paper.

Can you, Mr. Editor, or any of your friends throw any light on this point? Did Dr. Franklin do this thing or in any way promote the use of plaster, or write at all on agriculture? Please reply to this inquiry, and give authorities, and oblige your friend. A FARMER.

CJ CJ O!—NORRIS is just from the city with the largest and cheapest stock of goods in the county. All kinds of Men's and Boy's wear; Straw Hats, Leghorn Hats, Panama Hats, and Light Fur and Wool Hats in endless variety and cheap. Also Summer Clothing of all kinds and out in the Latest Style. Young Gents wanting a Fashionable Suit made in the latest style and good material, can save 25 per cent by getting it at Norris' store Arnold's old corner. tf

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McConaughy & Krauth, Chambersburg st., residence.
D. Wills, in Public Square, in residence.
A. J. Cover, Baltimore st., near Fahnestock's Store.
D. A. Buehler, Baltimore street, in residence.

BARBER.

J. W. Tipton, Chambersburg street, first square.

BAKERY.

Bottzer Newport, corner Washington & Middle sts.

BOOT & SHOEMAKERS.

D. Kitzmiller & Bro., York st. opposite Bank.
D. H. Kitzel, Baltimore street, third square.
John M. Schilling, Carlisle street, near Railroad Depot

BLACKSMITHING.

B. G. Hollebaugh, Washington Street.

BUTCHERING.

Stover & Wible, Chambersburg Street.
Geo. A. Codori, West Middle Street.

CONFECTIONS, ETC. &C.

John Grnel, Chambersburg street, near Eagle Hotel.

CARPENTERS AND CONTRACTORS.

Wm. C. Stallsmith & Son, York street, first square.
Wm. Christman, Washington st., near Chambersburg
Geo. C. Cashman, Stratton street, near Railroad.

CARRIAGES, &C.

Perry J. Tate, Chambersburg street.
Danner & Ziegler, Middle street, near Baltimore.
W. K. Gallagher, East Middle st. second square

CLOTHING.

R. McCoblean & Cunningham, Baltimore street.
F. Cunningham, Baltimore street, first square.
T. C. Norris, South West corner of Diamond.
Jacob Brinkerhoff, corner of York and Public Square

COAL, LUMBER, LIME, &C.

C. H. Buehler, corner of Carlisle and Railroad streets.
Jacob Reilly, corner of Stratton and Railroad.

DENTIST.

Dr. Wm. Stallsmith, York street, first square.
J. L. Hill, Chambersburg street, opposite Eagle Hotel

DRUGGISTS.

A. D. Buehler, Chambersburg st., near Public Square
Robert & Elliot, Balt. st., opposite the Court-house.
H. B. Woods, cor. of Diamond and York street.
F. D. Dupborn, corner of Diamond and Carlisle st.

DRY GOODS.

Fahnestock Brothers, cor. of Balto. and Middle sts.
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Robert & Elliot, Balt. st., opposite the Court-house.
H. B. Woods, cor. of Diamond and York street.
F. D. Dupborn, corner of Diamond and Carlisle st.

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION HOUSES.

Bigham & Co., for. Washington and Railroad.
John Cress, cor. Stratton and Railroad.
Jos. Wirle & Son, corner Washington and Railroad.
McCurdy & Hamilton, Carlisle Street.

FURNITURE STORE.

Hunter & Warner, South East corner of Diamond.

GRANITE YARD.

Peter Bottler, Railroad, East of Strattonstreet.

GAS FITTER.

R. D. Armor, East Middle street.

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Wm. Boyer & Son, York st., opposite National Bank.
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Bigham & Co., cor. Washington and Railroad streets.
McCurdy & Hamilton, Carlisle st.
Gillespie & Co., York st., first square.
H. M. Paxton, Baltimore street, third square.

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T. C. Norris, South West cor ner of Diamond.
R. G. Cobean & Cunningham, Baltimore street.
H. B. Woods, cor. of Diamond and York street.

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Eagle Hotel, J. L. Tate, proprietor, corner Chambersburg and Washington.
Keystone House, W. Myers, proprietor, Chambersburg street, opposite Christ's Church.

LIVERY STABLES.

N. Weaver, Washington st., north of Chambersburg.
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MARBLE YARDS.

J. M. Cannon, corner of Baltimore and Middle streets
Meals & Brother, York st., east of Stratton.

MILLINERY, &C.

Mrs. E. J. Ziegler, East Middle street.

PHOTOGRAPHERS.

Tipton & Myers, York street, opposite National Bank

PHYSICIAN.

J. W. C. O'Neal, Baltimore street, near High.

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Washington Bierbower, N. E. corner of Diamond.

TAILOR.

J. Jacobs, Chambersburg street, first square.
Wm. S. King, York street, opposite Bank.

UNDERTAKER & PAPER HANGER.

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A WORD TO THE WISE.—Persons going to Housekeeping this spring would do well to call at Col. C. H. BUEHLER'S extensive Ware-room, near the Passenger depot, on Carlisle street, who has on hand a very large assortment of Stoves of the best manufacture, Cooking, Parlor, Office, and Chamber Stoves, for wood or Coal; also Tin Ware, Tin Ware, Japan Ware, Britania Ware, Bird Cages, and a general assortment of kitchen utensils, necessary in house keeping, and at very low prices

LUMBER.—The attention of Carpenters and Builders is invited to the extensive assortment of Lumber of all kinds to be found at the Lumber Yard of Col. C. H. Buehler, on Carlisle street, opposite the Passenger Depot. River and Mountain Pine, Hemlock, Laths, Siding, Joice, Scantling, Shingles, Pickets, Flooring, Posts, &c. &c., furnished in any quantity and at lowest rates. tf

MARRIED.

CORBETT—MYERS.—On the 13th ult., by Rev. D. M. Blackwelder, Mr. Benjamin Corbett, of Dickinson twp., Cumberland, county, to Miss Martha Myers, of Huntingdon twp., Adams co.

DEARDORFF—TAYLOR.—On the 4th ult., in this place, by Rev. W. R. H. Deatrich, Mr. Peter Deardorff to Miss Annie Taylor, both of Franklin township, this county.

WAGONER—GISH.—On the 20th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, in Shippensburg, by Rev. G. Seigler, D. K. Wagner, Editor of the *News*, to Miss Sue Gish, all of Shippensburg, Pa.

DIED.

☞Obituary notices 5 cents a line of all over 4 lines—cash to accompany notices.

BOWER.—On the 25th ult., near Heidlersburg, Jacob Ulrich Bower, aged 17 years 4 months and 23 days.

CARR.—Departed this life, May 1st, in Menallen twp., Mary Virginia, daughter of Wm. S. and Susanna Carr, aged 16 years, 10 months and 26 days.

Pale in her grave she lies
White as the virgin snow,
Closed are her young blue eyes
On all below.

Gone to her heavenly rest,
From sin forever free,
Pillowed in Jesus' breast,
Oh, God, with me I be!

No more we'll hear at morn
Her feet upon the stair—
Death has our loved one borne
To world's more fair.

Thank Heaven, her feet have trod
But brief the shores of time;
Now she in with her God
In Heaven's own chime.

Then why not dry the tear?
No more for Mary shed;
She's happier there than here,
Dear Jesus led. S. C.

DESHOFF.—On the 6th inst., near Cashtown, Mr. Henry Degroff, recently of this place, aged about 68 years.

EHRENART.—On the 2nd of April, in Millersburg, Elkhart county, Indiana, Mr. Daniel Ehrehart, formerly of this county, aged 56 years.

HOFFHEINS.—On the 26th ult., at New Oxford, Ambrose Peter Hoffheins, aged 2 years, 3 months and 24 days.

JOHNS.—On the 1st inst., at the York Alms House, Mr. John Johns, of Adams county, aged 65 years, 11 months and 8 days.

LAUGHMAN.—On the 1st of April last, in Latimore township, Mrs. Nancy, wife of Jacob Laughman, aged 51 years 7 months and 24 days.

NEIDIG.—On the 8th inst., in Conewago township, Mary Neidig, aged 22 years and 2? days.

PICKING.—Dec. 17th, 1868, at her residence in Somerset, Mrs. Sarah Picking, at the age of 81 years, 11 months and 15 days. Mrs. P. was born in East Berlin, Adams county, where she spent her early years, was married to Henry Picking of the same place, and removed subsequently to Western Pennsylvania.

SELLERS.—In Littlestown, on the 3rd inst., Sallie Jane, daughter of Henry and B. C. Sellers, aged 11 years, 3 months and 23 days. Mrs. S. was born in East Berlin.

WIKERT.—On the 8th inst., infant daughter of Andrew and Sarah E. Weikert, of Cumberland township aged 8 days.

BUSHORE.—On the 4th inst., John Jacob Bushore, aged 1 month and 17 days.

New Advertisements.

THE MORE, THE MERRIER.—People used to talk about high prices as something inseparable from big stores. Oak Hall has done much to do away with that foolish prejudice by giving a live example of the Largest Clothing House in the State selling goods at the lowest prices. And men are coming to understand that the truth is just the reverse and that the houses doing the *most business* and so requiring the largest accomodations are the ones who can and do sell the cheapest. In this as in everything else, except courtship and marriage, "the more, the merrier."

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Review of the Markets.

Baltimore Grain & Produce Market.
Baltimore, Thursday Morning.

SUPER FLOUR,	5 75	@	6 25
EXTRA FLOUR,	6 75	@	7 00
WHITE WHEAT,	1 75	@	0 00
RED WHEAT,	1 40	@	2 65
CORN,	81	@	83
RYE,	1 40	@	1 45
OATS,	60	@	65
TIMOTHY-SEED,	0 00	@	0 00
CLOVER-SEED,	0 00	@	0 00
FLAX-SEED,	0 00	@	0 00
BACON, SHOULDERS,	14	@	14½
" SIDES,	16½	@	17½
" HAMS,	19	@	21
LARD,	19	@	19
GOLD, Phila.			1 38½

Gettysburg Grain & Provision Market.
Gettysburg, Friday Morning.

SUPER FLOUR,			6 00
EXTRA FLOUR,	6 50	@	
WHITE WHEAT,	1 50	@	2 00
RED WHEAT,		@	1 40
CORN,			80
RYE,			1 30
OATS,			60
BUCKWHEAT,			90
TIMOTHY SEED,			2 50
CLOVER SEED,			8 00
POTATOES,		80 @	90
BUTTER,			40
LARD,			19
EGGS,			15
BACON, HAMS,			20
" SIDES,			15
" SHOULDERS,			15
SOAP,	6	@	8
TALLOW,			10

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.—The first account of DAVID J. ELDINE, Committee of the person and estate of DAVID J. SMITH, a Lunatic, of Adams county, has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams Co., and will be confirmed by the Court, *on the dated Monday*, in June, 1869, unless cause be shown to the contrary.

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May 14.—td*

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Lemoyne Junction	arrive	10.06 "	2.32 "
	leave	10.58 "	9.58 "
Harrisburg	arrive	12.55 p. m.	11.45 "
	leave	8.50 "	6.00 "
Philadelphia	arrive	9.40 "	6.50 "
Pittsburg	leave	1.15 "	12.10 "
	arrive	4.35 a. m.	3.30 p. m.

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May 14, 1869.—3m* JOSEPH KUNKLE.

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[From the Practical Farmer.

AN ESSAY ON GRAPE GROWING.

Read before the West Jersey Fruit Growers' Association, Feb. 18, 1869.

BY WILLIAM PARRY.

To the President of the West Jersey Fruit Growers' Association:

Having been appointed to open the discussion on the subject of pruning and training the grape vine, I submit the following:

Grape growing in West Jersey has been attended with various results for many years past, which have led to the conclusion that it is not a reliable crop and some have maintained that our soil and climate were not well adapted to it. But the occasional heavy crops which have been produced, are sufficient to prove that the defect is not in the soil or climate, but in the want of a proper system of pruning or manuring.—We find no difficulty in growing one or two large crops of grapes and some inferior crops, when the vines, being exhausted, run out, are neglected, and the culture of grapes abandoned.

A few sample vineyards may serve to illustrate this matter.

About 30 years since, Henry M. Zollicoffer, of Philadelphia, had planted in Camden county, New Jersey, eight or ten acres in vineyard, on light sandy soil, good truck land, quick in its action to yield up what nourishment it contained to the growing crop, but soon reduced unless constantly supplied with manure. The vines grew well and produced one full crop of fruit, fine large bunches, well developed and ripened, which were greatly admired by visitors and all who saw them.

That large crop of grapes took most of the strength from the ground, so that there was but a poor growth of wood for a future crop. Next year there were grapes enough set upon the vine, but about the time they should have ripened they commenced rotting, showing clearly there was something wanting to fill out the crop. The next year it was even worse, and after that they were abandoned as of no value.

Some years after, Mr. Fletcher, of Delaware, had a grapery which yielded abundantly for several years. They were planted close and pruned short, and seemed for a while to be successful; but eventually the soil becoming exhausted, they gave way, failing to ripen the fruit,—were dug up, sent to Philadelphia, and sold at auction at high prices, on the credit of the crops which they had borne.

In the year 1844 I planted one eighth of an acre with Isabella, Catawba and Elsingborough; set posts and wires to support the vines. They grew finely and produced several fair crops, the best of which was 1250 lbs., or at the rate of five tons per acre, which sold at 6 cents per pound, and brought $75, or at the rate of $600 per acre. But that was too heavy a draft upon the vines and soil; they gradually diminished afterwards, until being of little value, were removed.

Now, so far from being discouraged by the observation of these facts, we should look upon them as landmarks to guide our future operations. We could not raise half that quantity of corn or other farm crop, year after year, upon the same ground, without replenishing the exhaustion annually, with an application of manure.

I have now a small vineyard in bearing, embracing several varieties, one row of a kind, which have borne three good crops of fruit, and made the last year a better growth of well-ripened wood than ever before.—The ground a sandy loam with clay subsoil, was ploughed deeply with a Michigan or double mould-board plow; the plants were set eight feet distant in rows six feet apart, and but one cane was allowed to grow the first year. Trellises were erected by planting posts eight feet long, set two feet deep and eight feet distant in the rows, with one rail (2 by 3 in.) on the top of the posts, and another fastened two feet from the ground, with wires extending from the lower to the upper rail, about ten inches apart, to support the young vines.

In the spring of the second year after planting, the cane which grew the first year was cut off even with the lower rail, and only two buds allowed to grow, one in each direction.

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In the spring of the fourth year the top of every other upright was cut off even with the top rail, and allowed to produce fruit, the alternate canes being cut short near and by the lower rail, from the base of which a strong cane is thrown up to produce fruit the following year, when the one that had fruited last should be removed, and allow a new growth from its base to produce fruit the next year; and so on alternately removing the wood that has borne fruit, to give place for a new growth. The object in pruning being to control the growth of the vine, so that its strength shall be properly divided between ripening the present crop of fruit and producing a strong, healthy growth of wood with well developed buds for fruiting another year. Hence the error of taking an over crop of fruit at the expense of a proper growth of wood.

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